

Appendix - I

Pralayas (Deluge)

1,728,000 years = Satya yuga

1,296,000 years = Tretayā yuga

864,000 years = Dvāpara yuga

432,000 years = Kali yuga

4,320,000 years = 4×10^6 years = 1 Mahāyuga = 1 Gandā

306,720,000 years = 3×10^8 years = 71 Gandā = 1 Manu

4,294,080,000 years = 4×10^9 = 14 Manu = 1 Kalpa

Pruthījala Pralaya (1)

4×10^{10} years = 9 Kalpa = Vrahmajala Pralaya

Saurākāśa Pralaya (2)

6×10^{10} years = 14 Kalpa = Vrahma Pralaya

Saura Pralaya (3)

7×10^{10} years = 17 Kalpa = Viṣṇu Pralaya

Milky-way Pralaya (4)

12×10^{10} years = 28 Kalpa = Rudra Pralaya

(Nebular Pralaya) (5)

15×10^{10} years = 34 Kalpa = Dharma Pralaya

Universe - Dust-cloud Pralaya (6)

26×10^{10} years = 70 Kalpa = Niranjana Pralaya

Mahāloka Pralaya (8)

30×10^{10} years = 70 Kalpa = Mahāpralaya

Ādipurūṣa Pralaya (9)

(After this Nirālamva Devapurūṣa stays as Śūnya Purūṣa for about crores of Kalpas).